## STATE OF ILLINOIS SECRETARY OF STATE SECURITIES DEPARTMENT

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	USG&E, Inc., Donald E. Secunda, and	)	
	Doug Marcille	)	File # 0600652
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## **TEMPORARY ORDER OF PROHIBITION**

TO THE RESPONDENT: USG&E, Inc.

290 N. W. 165<sup>th</sup> Street, PH5 N. Miami Beach Florida 33169

Douglas W. Marcille

USG&E, Inc.

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Donald E. Secunda

USG&E, Inc.

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On information and belief, I, Jesse White, Secretary of State of Illinois, through my designated representative, who has been fully advised in the premises by the staff of the Securities Department, Office of the Secretary of State, herein finds:

- 1. Respondent, USG&E, Inc. ("USG&E" or collectively with Secunda and Marcille "Respondents") is a Delaware corporation with a principal place of business at 290 N. W. 165<sup>th</sup> Street, PH5, N. Miami Beach Florida 33169.
- 2. USG&E is in the business of providing natural gas to customers.
- 3. Respondent Donald E Secunda ("Secunda" or collectively with USG&E and Marcille "Respondents") was CEO of USG&E, Inc. during all

- relevant periods including November 2002. His last known address is c/o USG&E, 290 N. W. 165<sup>th</sup> Street, PH5 N. Miami Beach Florida 33169.
- 4. Respondent Doug Marcille ("Marcille" or collectively with USG&E and Secunda "Respondents") was CFO of USG&E, Inc. during all relevant periods including November 2002. He is currently CEO of USG&E. His last know address is c/o USG&E, 290 N. W. 165<sup>th</sup> Street, PH5 N. Miami Beach Florida 33169.
- 5. During November 2002 Respondents offered and/or sold stock in USG&E to at least one Illinois Investor.
- 6. The activities described in paragraph 5 constitute the offer and sale of stock and, therefore, a security and as those terms are defined in Sections 2.1, 2.5, and 2.5a of the Illinois Securities Law of 1953 [815 ILCS 5] (the "Act").
- 7. Section 5 of the Act provides, <u>inter alia</u>, that all securities except those exempt under Section 3 or those offered or sold in transactions exempt under Section 4 shall be registered either by coordination or by qualification prior to their offer or sale in the State of Illinois.
- 8. Respondents failed to file with the Secretary of State an application for registration of the securities described above as required by the Act, and as a result, the security was not registered pursuant to Section 5 of the Act prior to its offer and sale in the State of Illinois.
- 9. Section 12.A of the Act provides, <u>inter alia</u>, that it shall be a violation for any person to offer or sell any security except in accordance with the provisions of the Act.
- 10. Section 12.D of the Act provides, <u>inter alia</u>, that it shall be a violation for any person to fail to file with the Secretary of State any application, report or document required to be filed under the provisions of the Act or any rule or regulation made by the Secretary of State pursuant to the Act.
- 11. By virtue of the foregoing, Respondents violated Sections 12.A and 12.D of the Act.
- 12. The aforementioned findings are based upon credible evidence.
- 13. That Section 11.F(2) of the Act provides, <u>inter alia</u>, that the Secretary of State may temporarily prohibit the offer or sale of securities by any person, without notice and prior hearing, if the Secretary of State shall deem it necessary to prevent an imminent violation of the Act or to

prevent losses to investors that will occur as a result of prior violations of the Act.

14. The entry of this Temporary Order prohibiting the Respondents from offering or selling securities in the State of Illinois is in the public interest and for the protection of the investing public and is consistent with the purposes intended by the provision of the Act.

NOW THEREFORE IT IS HEREBY ORDERED THAT: pursuant to the authority granted by Section 11.F of the Act:

Respondents USG&E, Inc, Donald E. Secunda, and Doug Marcilla are Temporarily **PROHIBITED** from offering or selling securities in the State of Illinois until further Order of the Secretary of State.

NOTICE is hereby given that Respondents may request a hearing on this matter by transmitting such request in writing to the Director, Illinois Securities Department, 69 W. Washington Street, Suite 1220, Chicago, Illinois 60602. Such request must be made within thirty (30) calendar days of the date of entry the Temporary Order of Prohibition. Upon receipt of a request for hearing, a hearing will be scheduled as soon as reasonably practicable. A request for hearing will not stop the effectiveness of this Temporary Order and will extend the effectiveness of this Temporary Order for sixty days from the date the hearing request is received by the Department.

FAILURE BY ANY RESPONDENT TO REQUEST A HEARING WITHIN THIRTY (30) CALENDAR DAYS AFTER ENTRY OF THIS TEMPORARY ORDER OF PROHIBITION SHALL CONSTITUTE AN ADMISSION OF ANY FACTS ALLEGED HEREIN AND SHALL CONSTITUTE SUFFICIENT BASIS TO MAKE THIS TEMPORARY ORDER OF PROHIBITION FINAL.

Dated: This 31 day of October 2007.

JESSE WHITE
Secretary of State
State of Illinois

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